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Copy to Paul
ACT/015/032 #2

Dear Paul:

Concerning my inquiry on 7/8/94 relating to a proposed riparian inventory, we plan to follow your suggestion of a full baseline inventory of the riparian community present rather than the establishment of a set reference area. I believe your recommendation was based on the small size of the riparian zone (an average of 25 feet wide) and restrictions of the relevance of a reference section (1 acre) to the inventoried area (1300 feet). I appreciate the time and effort of your response to my questions. If you have any questions, or that I am wrong in my assumption of your recommendation, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'David Steed', is written over a horizontal line.

David Steed
Environmental Ecologist/Consultant

CC: File
Steve Demczak/Price Office, DOGM
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